



WHAT TO EXPECT AT THE CHALLENGE OF CHAMPIONS

CHECK YOUR DIVISION(S)

You will receive an email with your assigned division(s) and arrival time. Please check your divisions for accuracy. Verify that your division is the proper weight, age and experience level. If you find any errors, please correct them immediately by selecting the appropriate division on the smoothcomp website.

ARRIVAL TIME

In the same email, you will receive your recommended arrival time, which is based on the earliest time your age group and competition type will start, with a time allowance for parking, unexpected delays and weighing in. When you arrive at your ring, compare your event number to the current event number displayed at that ring, to estimate your division's start time. You can ask the ring staff as well, but ultimately you are responsible for being at your ring when your event starts. Any competitor not at their ring when their name is called will be disqualified from that event.

CHECK-IN

- All competitors, spectators and staff will pass through the check-in booths located in the lobby.
 - Adult competitors will receive a hand stamp which will allow you to enter the arena without an admission fee. After entering, check in at your assigned ring for your first event.
 - Little Tigers and Tigers can go to their assigned ring for their first event once their parents and/or adult chaperones have paid the spectator admission fee of **\$25**. (*Only cash payments will be accepted for admission*)
 - Judges and ring staff will receive a hand stamp which will allow you to enter the arena without an admission fee. After entering, go to your designated ring or area.

WEIGH-INS

A mandatory weigh-in for each division will be conducted by each ring. Immediately after arriving at the arena, you should go to your assigned ring and weigh in. The sooner you do this the better the chance that any changes can be made to your assigned division if necessary. At weigh-in, competitors must have on their complete uniform as set forth in the rules. Competitor must not exceed the upper limit of the weight range of the division in which he or she is registered. **EXCEEDING THE WEIGHT LIMIT MAY RESULT IN DISQUALIFICATION.** There is no refund or credit for disqualification. You can ask your

ring staff to weigh you in earlier before the start of your event. Once you are weighed in, your official weight will be entered into the system. You only need to weigh-in once, so if you are competing in additional events, you will not need to be weighed in again.

ADMISSION

Competitors do not need to pay an admission fee to enter the arena. All other Adult spectators (16yr & up) including parents will be charged an admission fee of **\$25** per person to enter. *Only Cash is accepted, so please come prepared.

RULES & RING MAP

The rules for Jiu-Jitsu and Kickboxing as well as additional information such as directions, ring assignments (when released), ring map, time schedule, etc. are available on challengeofchampions.com.

RING ASSIGNMENTS

You will receive an email during the week of the event with your assigned ring number and match number for the Jiu-Jitsu and or Kickboxing division(s) you are registered in. Your ring number is the location that you will be competing in and your match number is the numerical order of your match in that ring. You can also look up your ring/match assignments on coc.smoothcomp.com after logging in.

SPORTSMANSHIP

At the Challenge of Champions, we take sportsmanship very seriously!

Please remember that the decision of the judges is final and any competitor acting in an unsportsmanlike or disrespectful manner will be automatically disqualified.

Other ways to receive an Automatic Disqualification are:

- Failure to make the weight limit for your division
- Violation of protective equipment rules
- Use of intentional illegal techniques or
- Obvious disregard for the rules

All spectators including parents must adhere to the above sportsmanship standards as well, otherwise they will be asked to leave the arena and lose the privilege to watch the competitor/child they came to support.

CONGRATULATIONS!

You're a winner already! The Challenge of Champions derived its name from the fact that we believe that anyone who steps up to the challenge of combat competition is already a winner regardless of the outcome! Your training preparation combined with the experience of competing, takes tremendous courage and discipline, which will have a positive impact on the belief you have in yourself and everything you will do in the future. So enjoy the journey!

Watch our new "[What to Expect At The Challenge of Champions](#)" video on youtube.

Also watch our "[Tiger Schulmann's Presents | Challenge of Champions](#)" video.